



# H.C. Storm Youth Leadership Team

# Our Mission

Our group consists of forty 4th and 5th graders this year, which is our biggest group ever!! Our main focus is to go out and serve in the community. We will be learning about service and the importance of giving back to the community we live in. This year we will be partnering up with many different organizations. We also will do two fundraisers to support different causes!!

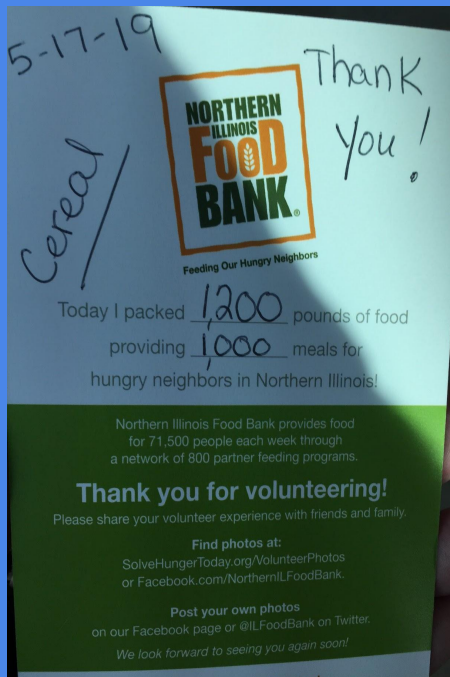
# Caroling at the Holmstad

Every year we go to Holmstad and spread some holiday cheer to the residents during dinner time!!



# Northern IL Food Bank

We also go to the Food Bank and pack thousands of pounds of food for those in need.





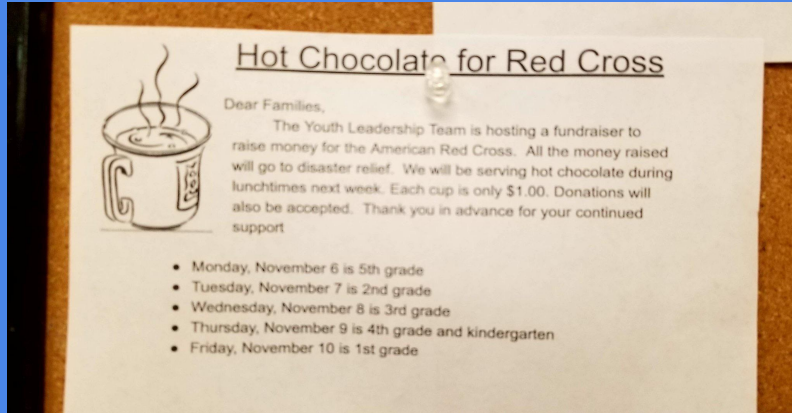
# Living Well Bridge Walk

Our team collects coins and raises money to support the Living Well Cancer Center. Rain or shine every May we gather and walk to support this wonderful organization!!



# Fundraising

Over the years we have raised thousands of dollars to help those in need. Last year, we sold hot chocolate to support the Red Cross and sold school supplies to help purchase a new flag pole to honor our beloved Mr. Hogue!!



# Helping out the Batavia Park District

Some of our favorite work is supporting the park district. A new tradition we have started over the last few years is to go and do a fall clean up of the quarry. We also do spring park clean ups as well.





# New partnerships formed

Last year we partnered with two new organizations. We made holiday cards and sent them to Cards for Hospitalized Kids. The cards were distributed at Lurie Children's Hospital.

We also joined forces with Amy Pedone's Operation Flashlight which supports local nursing homes.





## Looking ahead.....

This year we are excited to continue to work with the organizations we mentioned tonight and build on the great work that we did last year. We are always looking for new ways to help and organizations to partner with.

Thank you for allowing us to come and present to you tonight.

Finally, are there any questions you have for us?

## One last thing.....

We would like to extend an invitation to any Board Member that would like to come and help us clean up the quarry next week.

We are going on Thursday, Oct. 11th from 3:45-4:45.

Bring your gloves and prepare to get sandy!!!